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SUBJECT: THAILAND: EMBASSY/STATE DEPARTMENT HUMAN RIGHTS
VETTING FOR: APCSS - COMPREHENSIVE SECURITY RESPONSE TO
TERRORISM COURSE

REF: A. DAO MEMO OF 8 AUG 2005

[1](#)B. STATE 021314 - GUIDANCE

[1](#)C. 03 STATE 34981 - GUIDANCE

[1](#)1. (U) This is an action request for human rights verification required by the Leahy Amendment; see para. 3. Post apologizes for the short notice but would appreciate this request being processed before the APCSS travel deadline of August 24, 2005.

[1](#)2. (U) DAO Bangkok has requested that the Embassy/State Department complete human rights vetting for individuals listed in para 3, who has been selected to attend the Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies in Honolulu, Hawaii from August 29 to August 16, 2005. Embassy Bangkok possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by these individuals. Embassy Bangkok Political/Military Officer, Mark B. Lambert, is the verifying officer for the Embassy/Department of State.

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